In Frederick County [there shall be] no Class A alcoholic beverage license MAY BE granted, transferred, issued to, or for use in conjunction with, or upon the premises of, or upon premises having any [direct or indirect connection with or access to any food, ] drug or pharmaceutical, or other business establishment of the commonly known as chain stores, supermarkets, franchised establishments, or discount "FRANCHISED ESTABLISHMENT" MEANS PREMISES OPERATED UNDER AN AGREEMENT PERMITTING THE SALE OF A PRODUCT OR SERVICE NAME OR MARK UNDER WHICH THE FRANCHISEE UNDERTAKES TO CONDUCT A BUSINESS OR SELL A PRODUCT SERVICE IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE METHODS AND PROCEDURES PRESCRIBED BY THE FRANCHISOR IN THE AGREEMENT AND FRANCHISOR UNDERTAKES TO ASSIST THE FRANCHISEE THROUGH ADVERTISING, PROMOTION, OR OTHER SERVICES.

SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act is hereby declared to be an emergency measure and necessary for the immediate preservation of the public health and safety and having been passed by a yea and nay vote supported by three—fifths of all the members elected to each of the two Houses of the General Assembly, the same shall take effect from the date of its passage.

Approved May 31, 1974.

CHAPTER 634

(Senate Bill 635)

AN ACT concerning

Construction Industry Indemnity Agreements

FOR the purpose of providing that certain Construction Industry Indemnity Agreements are void and unenforceable.

BY adding to

Article — Courts and Judicial Proceedings Section 5-305 Annotated Code of Maryland (1974 Volume)

SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF